

London, June 22, 1722.

THE following Question is to be Ballotted for at the South-Sea-House this Day, viz.

That this Court doth agree to the Proposals now laid before them, for an Agreement with the Governour and Company of the Bank of England, and doth hereby empower the Court of Directors, to perfect the same in due Form of Law.

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Your Votes and Interest are desired for the Question, it being greatly for the Interest of the Company.

As it sells 100 l. Government Debt, carrying 5 per Cent. Interest but for Five Years, and afterwards but 4 per Cent. for One Hundred and Five Pounds, which is greatly above the Value of any other Government Annuity of 5 per Cent. though not reduced to 4 per Cent. as this is.

As it sells Four Millions of this Government Debt at Once, which none can undertake but the Bank; whereby all the Company's Bonds, which have constantly been at so heavy Discounts, to the Oppression of all other Parts of Publick Credit, will be honourably discharged, the rest of our Stock will be clear of Incumbrances, and we shall always for the future receive our Dividends regularly in Money.

As it will settle all the unhappy Differences between us and the Bank, whereby we shall mutually assist one another, and join to support Publick Credit, and confound the Devices of the *Jacobites*, who encouraged themselves from our Divisions to raise a fresh Rebellion in these Kingdoms.